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SUBJ: POSSIBLE ABU DHABI INTEREST IN ANTIGUA REFINERY

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EMBOFF RAISED JAN 19 QUESTION OF POSSIBLE ABU DHABI INTEREST IN ANTIGUA REFINERY (REFTEL) WITH SENIOR OFFICIAL ABU DHABI NATIONAL OIL COMPANY (ADNOC). RESPONSE WAS THAT THERE WAS ABSOLUTELY NO RPT NO SUCH INTEREST. SOURCE INDICATED ADNOC CONTINUALLY BEING APPROACHED WITH PROPOSALS FOR DOWNSTREAM INVESTMENTS. IF APPROACH IS DIRECT THEY DON'T EVER BOTHER TO LISTEN. IF IT COMES VIA CONTACTS AT HIGHER LEVELS, ADNOC ASKS FOR FACTS AND FIGURES PROVING FEASIBILITY/PROFITABILITY. SO FAR NONE HAVE MADE CONVINCING CASE EXCEPT ON BASIS THAT ABU DHABI PROVIDE CRUDE AT DISCOUNTED PRICES WITH PROMISE OF RESULTING PROFITS ON OTHER END. AS SOURCE STATED,
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WHY SHOULD ABU DHABI SACRIFICE SUCH THING FOR WHAT IS

ONLY POSSIBLE GAIN? IN SHORT IF PREMIER WALTER HAS
POTENTIAL PARTNER IT APPEARS IT IS SOMEONE ELSE.
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